HARTFORD FINANCIAL SERVICES GROUP INC/DE Form 8-K August 04, 2005

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549 FORM 8-K CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): August 4, 2005

THE HARTFORD FINANCIAL SERVICES GROUP, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 001-13958 13-3317783

(State or other jurisdiction (Commission (IRS Employer of incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)

The Hartford Financial Services Group, Inc.

Hartford Plaza

Hartford, Connecticut 06115-1900

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (860) 547-5000

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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On August 4, 2005, The Hartford Financial Services Group, Inc. issued a press release announcing its financial results for the quarter ended June 30, 2005. A copy of the press release is furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

Exhibit No.

99.1 Press Release of The Hartford Financial Services Group, Inc. dated August 4, 2005.

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SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

THE HARTFORD FINANCIAL SERVICES GROUP, INC.

Date: August 4, 2005 By: /s/ Neal S. Wolin

Name: Neal S. Wolin

Title: Executive Vice President and General

Counsel